

TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 23, '97.
 Imperial Japanese diet opened yesterday.
 Russia is furnishing money and arms to China.
 Gen. Weyler strongly opposes autonomy for Cuba.
 Cuban rebels declare they will not accept autonomy.
 Canada will adopt the British postal note system.
 Canada's postal revenue increased \$70,000 in November.
 Marmaduke Pearson, an old Toronto merchant, is dead.
 Behring sea commissioners have completed their report.
 Chaplain denies that his letter to Tarte proposed a coalition.
 An additional force of the N.W.M.P. is to be sent to the Yukon.
 An alliance between Great Britain and Japan seems probable.
 The Ontario government were sustained on a division by 51 to 24.
 Owing to depression in cigar trade planters are leaving Jamaica.
 The occupation of Port Arthur by Russia is causing excitement in Europe.
 An Albany man suicided while crazed from excessive cigarette smoking.
 An attempt to steal \$800,000 was made on board a.s. City of Washington.
 Application will be made to parliament for twenty-three Yukon companies.
 The publishers of the Province, Victoria, are being prosecuted for criminal libel.
 The general traffic association has reduced grain rates from Chicago to the seaboard.
 The anti-pelagic sealing bill will secure the entire U.S. trade to New York-furriers.
 Fall River cotton manufacturers will reduce wages 11 1/2 per cent. on January 1st.
 The award in the Behring sea damages commission has been forwarded to Washington.
 The Chinese are strengthening the defenses of Port Arthur under Russian supervision.
 The United States paid its agents and counsel at the Paris seals commission \$224,514.
 The Ontario government propose that all logs cut on crown lands must be sawn in the province.
 Goods from the United States will be permitted to pass in bond through Canadian territory to Alaska.
 It is said that W. H. H. Graham, of Indiana, will replace United States consul Duffie at Winnipeg.
 Owners of the sealing ships seized by Russia will accept the indemnity tendered by the Russian government.
 A prominent Canadian suggests that the United States should cede Maine to Canada in exchange for part of the Northwest.
 Complaints of laborers on the Crow's Nest pass railway will be investigated. The government will send Frank Pedley, immigration commissioner to investigate.
 Senator Templeman, Victoria, was committed for trial for criminal libel at the instance of Premier Turner, who was criticized for his connection with a Klondike enterprise.

TO-DAY'S TRAIN.

1 car horses for O'Brien.
 1 car merchandise for Helpman.
 1 car immigrants effects.
 3 cars sundries for various parties.

LOCAL.

JAS. INKSTER recently shot a black tailed deer in the Beaver hills.
 D. C. ROBERTSON will start for Slave lake with freight for the H. B. Co. on Friday.
 Two cars of horses for the Clatworthy party arrived from Calgary on Wednesday, the 15th.
 THIRTY 4 hours late at last accounts. It had been delayed by snow at Airdrie, the first station north of Calgary.
 R. RITCHIE, of Grafton, North Dakota, is visiting his brother, Robert Ritchie, of the South Edmonton mills.
 Hay is \$4 to \$5 a ton and up to \$7 has been paid occasionally for local use; \$4 is still the standard price for export.
 HEREFTER notices regarding estray animals, which appear in the Northwest Gazette will be posted up in the post office.
 BISHOP LEGAL, of St. Albert, and Rev. Father Leduc, of Edmonton, and Rev. Father LaCombe, of Calgary, visited St. Boniface recently.
 A COLD snap occurred on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week. There was no wind, and the weather moderated on Friday afternoon.
 The Christmas tree of the Edmonton Methodist church was held last evening and was a great success in point of attendance and genuine enjoyment.
 A FISHON was caught a few days ago at the farm of E. Boivin, near Fort Saskatchewan. Around one leg was fastened a small gold ring and to the other was attached a slip of paper bearing the words "From Andrew, North Pole, 11-12-97." On the reverse side was the less startling inscription "Chas. Ellett, Sandy lake, South Edmonton."

This Minneapolis Times of Dec. 13th, has an interesting interview with L. Wormalds and E. Buck, of the Wormalds expedition to the Yukon. Mr. Wormalds emphatically contradicts the stories circulated by Messrs. Foote and Merriweather regarding the difficulties of the route. Both men are going to return in the spring and Mr. Wormalds will bring out his wife and three children.
 The Toronto Mail is making amends for its publication of the celebrated Farrar interview on the Yukon route by publishing an editorial on "Canada's own route to the Yukon" in which it sets forth very clearly the possibility, desirability and necessity of Canada having an all-Canadian route to the Yukon. The article is in the Mail's best style and shows a comprehensive grasp of the subject.
 The Duluth Herald, of Dec. 11th, contains a telegraphic report of an interview with L. Wormalds and E. Buck, of Chicago, on their return from Great Slave lake. They specifically contradict the statements made by W. A. Foote, of Duluth, and T. Merriweather, of Chicago, regarding the difficulties of the route. The Duluth Herald was the paper in which Foote's complaint first appeared.

CHRISTMAS ON SATURDAY.

THAWING weather on Tuesday and Wednesday.
 The Christmas number of the Winnipeg Tribune is to hand and is an excellent publication.
 COUNT AND COUNTESS DE RODRIGO, of Welskwin, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Roy.
 J. W. DURAND and J. Smith, of Grand Forks, Dakota, arrived on Monday's train bound for the Yukon.
 LORD AYVONMORE and Capt. O'Brien went to Calgary on Tuesday's train to meet Col. Helpman and Capt. Allegue, of the same party.
 SPECIAL services in celebration of Christmas will be conducted in the Methodist church on Sunday morning and evening next by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Dyke.
 F. FRASER TIMS, M. L. A., is about to open a commission and forwarding office in connection with the Yukon trade, at the board of trade room in rear of Stennett's tent store.
 TUESDAY'S train came in about four o'clock on Wednesday morning. The Calgary & Edmonton railway has adopted the idea that there is no essential difference between to-day and the week after next.
 HOCKEY practice will be held to-night after half past nine instead of to-morrow night, in order to give the public the opportunity of using the rink if they desire, on Friday, night also to-night up to half past nine.
 J. A. BREWER, of the Alaska Mining & Transportation Co., left for Chicago on Tuesday, having made arrangements for commencing work at an early day upon the steamers to be put on the Athabasca and Mackenzie rivers.
 BRICK work was again resumed on McDougall & Second, building on Wednesday and if the mild weather holds the brick work will be entirely finished to-morrow. Laying brick the day before Christmas is not a bad record for Edmonton.
 The Morse party of Yukon prospectors pulled out for the far northwest on Thursday last, and left St. Albert on Friday. They decided that dogs were a failure to freight with before they had gone far and traded a number of their dogs off for horses.
 The bazaar in aid of the Roman Catholic church of that place, held in Ross' hall, South Edmonton, on Tuesday and Wednesday was very successful, realizing about \$400, the contest for a cane between Messrs. Duggan and Wilson, resulted in favor of the former.
 A SALMON trout weighing 18 1/2 pounds was brought in from Cold lake, north of Ft. Pitt, by R. Bell who had gone out with freight. He says that large numbers of such fish are caught in that lake. It is possible that a trade might be done in these fish.
 E. J. HARRIS, of Creekford, sold C. Gallagher his show steers for Christmas week. The steers dressed 1,400 pounds and was under three years old. The steers was purchased by the Alberta hotel. Mr. Gallagher also has a black tailed deer shot in the Beaver hills.
 The second preliminary investigation into the case of F. M. Gray charged with shooting J. W. Shera, was held before Insp. Primrose, J. P. on Monday, N. D. Beck, Q. C., for the crown and W. Short for the defence. A number of witnesses were examined and Mr. Gray was committed for trial.
 Supt. GIESSEN received instructions last week to purchase dogs and cat engage drivers for service in the Yukon. Also to call for members of the police force to volunteer for service in the Yukon, and to have all the men of his command examined as to their fitness for active service. It is probable that the government intends pushing supplies into the Yukon.
 The South Edmonton agricultural society will hold their annual ball and box social on Wednesday evening, Dec. 29th, 1897, at the Royal Hotel, South Edmonton. Each lady is requested to provide a box containing a lunch for two which will be sold at auction, and the buyer will be the partner for supper. Supper will be provided for those not having boxes. Proceeds in aid of improving the society's grounds.
 The Rev. Father Desmarais, administrator of the diocese of Valleyfield, recently gave an order for the best outer procurable in Edmonton, to be delivered at the general hospital. This new proof of generosity and interest increases more and more the gratitude of the recipients of such a beautiful Christmas gift. The Rev. Sisters tender their thanks to Messrs. McDonald & Skinner for their well appreciated Alberta Plaindealer.
 A LETTER from Ross Bros., of Edmonton, in reply to the Mail's celebrated fake interview with "Edward Farrar," appears in a recent issue of the Hamilton, Ont., Times, and will go a long way towards counteracting the ill-effects of Mr. Farrar's aggregation of falsehoods. The letter concludes as follows: "Edmonton is not a competitor at present as against any railway or steamboat route, but it acknowledges no competitor as a route where a man's time and labor count for so much and over which a man can transport his year's outfit of provisions with so little cost or danger, and with the same dead certainty of getting through."
 T. CAIRNS has tried the experiment of evaporating potatoes in his new brewery building. The result is very satisfactory. The potatoes are peeled and sliced and after being but through the evaporating process become as dry and hard as wooden chips, without losing color. On being put in water they recover their original size and consistency. J. D. Clarke will handle the products of Mr. Cairns, evaporating works in town. McDougall & Second have given a large order for the evaporated potatoes. This is an industry that is worthy of every encouragement in this district.
 POLICE PATROL AND MAIL.
 Sgt. Major McDonald left on Friday last for Sturgeon lake and Spirit river by the Lake St. Ann trail, taking out mail matter for the Yukon prospectors now wintering along that trail. He took two dog teams, and from Lake St. Ann will go by the McLeod crossing of the Athabasca, McLeod lake, Buck lake and Sturgeon lake. If he can get a supply of fish at Sturgeon lake, he will go on to Grand Prairie and Spirit river. There he will pick up return mail to be left there by Insp. Snyder and will bring it back to Edmonton. He will probably be gone a about a month.

WHEAT MARKETS, Dec. 18.

New York opened 98 1/2c. closed 99c.
 Chicago opened 89 1/2c. closed 90 1/2c.
 Duluth, 93c.
 Minneapolis opened 91c. closed 91 1/2c.
 Fort William, 88c. to 89c.
 Manitoba country points 77c. on cars.
 Oats—Manitoba country points 25c to 30c.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CARD OF THANKS.

GENTLEMEN: It is with great pleasure and satisfaction that I request a little space of this valuable paper to give expression of my hearty thanks to all the numerous gentlemen who honored me with their vote in the late municipal election, feeling proud of the confidence thereby expressed—however trifling.
 Yours respectfully,
 P. HELPMAN.

HELPMAN & Co.

Tradesmen are hereby requested not to supply any goods to the employees of the above Company unless on the written or personal order of Capt. O'Brien or Mr. C. C. Bamister, Hon. Treas.
 16-17 By order of the Captain.

TEACHER WANTED.

For Beaver Hills School District. First or second grade certificate, male or female. Applications to be in by the 15th January, 1898. Apply, stating salary required, to
 J. L. FORTE, Agricola P.O.
 16-21

TEACHER WANTED.

Male or female, holding first class certificate, for Fort Saskatchewan Protestant Public School. Apply stating salary required to
 G. T. MONTGOMERY, Fort Saskatchewan.

HORSES FOR KLONDIKE.

Two hundred head of northern horses, thoroughbred, broken, at all times available after January 15th. Apply to J. B. Turnbull, Edmonton.
 16-23 W. R. BRERETON.

ESTRAY.

One bay horse branded G D on left shoulder. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take away.
 R. STEWART, Manawan P.O.
 16-21

ESTRAY.

Came to the premises of the undersigned one dark colored horse, branded H V on right hip, white hind feet. Owner is requested to remove same.
 W. R. GIBBONS, New Lunnun.
 16-17

ESTRAYS.

Joined my bunch this fall, one black yearling horse, brand. Owner can have same by paying expenses.
 CHAS. BRUMFITT, New Lunnun.
 16-17

LOST.

One yearling steer, branded B on right hip. I shall be pleased to hear of whereabouts of same.
 CHAS. BRUMFITT, New Lunnun.
 16-17

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a company to mine, crush and smelt gold and other minerals in the Northwest Territories, and to give effect to the Government of Canada to conduct mining operations upon all lands or mining locations, the property of the Crown, for the joint account of the Government and the Company.
 GEMMILL & MAY.
 For the applicants.
 Ottawa, December 3rd, 1897.
 16-23

CANADA, NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES.

Department of Public Works

NOTICE.

Tenders will be received, addressed to the Commissioner of Public Works, Regina, up to January the 1st, 1898, for the exclusive right of providing and operating ferries at the undermentioned points:
 On the Pembina river at the crossing of the road from Edmonton to Peace river.
 On the Athabasca river at the crossing of the road from Edmonton to Peace river.
 Across the Narrows of Lesser Slave Lake near the Hudson's Bay Company's Post.
 On the Peace river at the northern end of the road from Edmonton to that stream.
 Separate tenders are to be sent in for each ferry and are to state clearly the style and size of ferry which will be provided and the lowest schedule of fees which will be charged, and tenders must include the fee of \$100 for the issue of the license provided for by the Ferries Ordinance.
 The license issued to the lowest tenderer in each case will be for one year with provision that the Government may take over the ferry at the expiration of the license at a valuation to be agreed upon, or may renew the license as they see fit.
 The low est or any tender not necessarily accepted.
 By order,
 J. S. DENNIS,
 Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.
 Regina, December 17th, 1897.
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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate the Pacific and Yukon Railway, Navigation and Mining Company, for the purpose of constructing a railway from a point at or near Pyramid Harbour, near the head of Lynn Canal, or from a point on or near the International boundary between Canada and the United States of America in the vicinity of Lynn Canal, thence through the Chilkoot Pass, thence to Dixon's Post, on the Alsek River, and thence by the best feasible route to a point below Five Finger Rapids on the Lesser Slave River, with power to vary the route as may be necessary or advisable; also with power to receive from the Government of Canada or other corporations or persons grants of land or money or other assistance in aid of the construction of the work; to build telegraph or telephone lines; to construct roads, tramways, wharves, mills and other works necessary for the company; to charter vessels for the same purpose upon the lakes and rivers in or adjacent to the territory served by the said railway; to erect and manage electrical works for the use and transmission of electrical power, and acquire and make use of natural and other water powers for that purpose; to maintain stores and trading posts; and to carry on a mining and smelting business, including the erection of saw-mills and such other works, and to enter into trade and other arrangements with other railway and transportation companies; to issue preference stock and bonds, and with all such other powers, rights and privileges as may be necessary for the purposes of the undertaking.
 KINGSMILL, SAUNDERS & TORRANCE,
 Solicitors for the applicants.
 Dated at Toronto, this 26th day of November, 1897.
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2000 Bushels

Potatoes
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AND A

A Happy New Year

TO ALL.

Secure a copy of our booklet, "Seasonable Hints on Welcome Gifts," and buy a Christmas Hamper. You can have a choice at \$3.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 \$8.00 and \$10.00, specially adapted for Christmas Cheer.

Hamper No. 4

1 Turkey,
 2 lbs. Cranberries,
 1 Plum Pudding (2 lbs)
 2 Packages Mince Meat,
 1 Tin Preserved Figs,
 1 Tin Asparagus,
 1 Cartoon Raisins & Almonds
 1 Box Candies,
 2 lbs Mixed Nuts,
 2 lbs Mixed Biscuit,
 1 Jar Imperial Cheese,
 1 lb. Tetley's Tea,

For \$5.00

Our

Christmas

Bazaar

We have imported a choice selection of Fancy Goods suitable for Presents, Christmas Trees, etc.

Crockery and

Glassware - -

Toys and

Novelties

Our Dry Goods stock also contains many articles suitable for Christmas Gifts at reasonable prices.

Christmas

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A complete stock of Fresh Goods of best quality at reasonable prices.

Cape Cod Cranberries 15cts per pound.

Reliable Goods,

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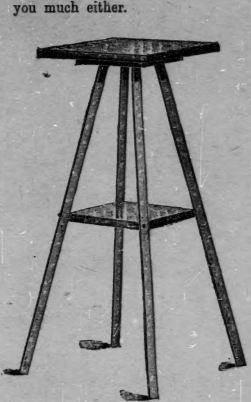
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..Xmas. Presents..

We have them. A hundred different articles to choose from. Do not cost you much either.



Hardwood Table (same as cut) 30in. high, top 12 x 12 in. Finished Antique for 50c.

Bamboo Tables, top 15in. square, or round, top finished, at 60c.

We have a nice line of Parlor Tables in Quartered Oak, Mahogany, Bird's Eye Maple and Birch.

And then we have Writing Desks, Book Cases and Shelves, Paper Racks, Wall Cabinets and Pictures.

The children have been remembered. Dolls' Carriages in bamboo, \$1.65. Dolls' Carts in bamboo, \$1.25. Dolls' Cradles, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.20. Children's Sleighs, \$1.75, \$2.00. Children's Rockers, \$1.00 to \$3.50.

COME AND SEE THEM.

J. T. BLOWEY.

..NEW..

..Hardware Store..

..MCLEOD'S NEW BLOCK..

Our stock not yet being complete, we cannot give you everything you may ask for, but we will be pleased to have you call and examine our goods.

To Prospectors' Supplies we have given special attention.

Tinsmithing and Jobbing

Our Workshop is now complete and we are prepared to do all kinds of work in this line.

..FURNACE WORK A SPECIALTY..

Prompt attention given to orders for import.

J. L. JOHNSON & Co., Edmonton.

..CHRISTMAS SILVERWARE..

Presents for old and young, of all prices and designs, to suit all tastes

If you want a present for your brother, sister, mother, father or friend, I have it.

For the Christmas season of 1897 I have the largest display of Silverware and Jewelry ever shown in Edmonton. The list includes among many others, the following beautiful presents: Ladies' Watches set with diamonds, from \$10.00 to \$70.00; Diamond and Opal Rings from \$6.00 to \$50.00; Marble and Oxidized Wall and Mantel Clocks, all prices; full lines of Ladies' Jewelry in Gold and Silver suitable for holiday presents. Also beautiful chased Silver Tea Sets, Fruit and Cake Dishes, Water Jugs' Carving and Dinner Sets, Silver Mounted Pipes, Children's Mugs and Tea Sets, and innumerable other pretty and valuable Christmas Gifts.

E. RAYMER,

WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER, EDMONTON

BEAUTY

Even when but skin deep excites admiration, yet how gratifying to both the possessor and the admirer when such beauty is real. How carefully should this gift be guarded by the strict adherence to Nature's laws and the use of the purest toilet requisites.

FOR THE COMPLEXION

A good sponge, pure toilet soaps, and to counteract the effects of inclement weather our White Rose Glycerine Jelly.

FOR THE HAIR

The care of which is so important, Graydon's Hair Tonic is desirable.

FOR THE TEETH

Dentofam is indispensable, being an excellent preservative, possessing antiseptic properties sufficient to prevent the generation of disease germs in the mouth.

Find all at

Post. Office. Drug. Store

EDMONTON.

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Groceries

As we intend closing out our Grocery business before spring and devote our whole attention to the Import trade, will for the next thirty days sell the following lines at greatly reduced prices:

Coffee, Spices, Extracts

Celluloid Starch

Baking Powder, Boot Polish

Pearline, Stoneware

Brooms, Vinegar, Pickles

Soap, Etc.

Full line of New Groceries to choose from. Call on us and save money.

THOS. BELLAMY.

TWO CENT POSTAGE.

Toronto Telegram: It is impossible to verify the report as yet, but it is practically certain that the postmaster-general will propose the abolition of free postage for newspapers and the reduction of the letter rate to two cents at the approaching session of the Dominion parliament.

CROW'S NEST SLAVERY.

The Winnipeg Tribune under the above heading gives an account of the way in which the laborers on the Crow's Nest pass railway have been dealt with by the management. According to the Tribune it is a record of broken contracts and hardships suffered that are a disgrace to a civilized country. But then a company can build railways more cheaply than a government. This is the way they do it.

MANAWAN.

The Cinnamons took up about 65 head of two and three year old steers from their ranch at the Vermilion river farm at Clover Bar where they have put up a lot of green feed for them.

Samuel Whitford has a new boy and a competent snail.

Some of our fur hunters have returned and all reported to have made a good hunt. Trails heavy.

Dec. 17, '87.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN.

Very cold weather here last week. The spirit registered 42° below zero for two nights in succession.

Mr. McGaw, representing the Dominion Elevator Co., is living in the village at present. He is buying oats and barley and giving Edmonton prices, less the cost of freight to the station. This is the first buyer we have had here and we hope the farmers will bring in lots of grain and make it worth the company's while to put a buyer here every year in future.

Our worthy member, F. F. Tims, returned from Regina on Friday night looking very well.

Dec. 20, '87.

FURS.

Mr. McMillan's fur circular of Nov. 17th, says of the October London fur sales: This sale is unimportant and the offerings are always small; but notwithstanding the small offerings the result did not vary much from last June, when most kinds of furs went at very low prices. Skunk did badly and averaged even less than last June. Business with American fur manufacturers is improving, and if there is much cold weather before Christmas it will increase the consumption of manufactured furs and the manufacturers will be further benefited. If cold weather does not come until after Christmas it is too late to be of much help. Mink and skunk are prime earlier than any other kinds of furs. Those caught this month will commence to grade No. 1. Those caught in October will grade No. 2 and 3. Those caught earlier, No. 4, or worthless. Muskrat caught in October will grade as fall. Minnesota, Dakota and Manitoba muskrat will run from 30 to 35 per cent. kits, Wisconsin and Iowa rats a less per cent; but the per cent. will decrease as the season progresses. Prime furs are red or white on the flesh side; unprime, blue or black. W. L. L. orders for unprime fall bear grading 2 and 3; summer caught are scab bear and grade No. 4, and are hardly worth the transportation charges.

C. P. H. B. & CO.

An Ottawa despatch of Dec. 11th, says: Mr. Shaughnessy, of the Canadian Pacific, was here to-day in conference with the sub-committee of the cabinet on Yukon matters and the development of an all-Canadian route. Arrangements are being made whereby the Canadian Pacific will handle passengers to Wrangell, making connection with Hudson's Bay Co. steamers on the Stikine. The latter will place 16 light draft steamers on the river, running to Glenora. It is reported that Mr. Shaughnessy assured the ministers that his company will be ready to transport passengers to Teslin Lake by the time navigation opens.

CALGARY CURLING.

The Calgary curling club sends a cordial invitation to Edmonton curlers to send rinks to take part in the fourth annual bonspiel, to be held under the auspices of the Calgary curling club, commencing January 26th to compete for the following trophies: The Walkerville; the H. W. McNeill Co's; the Calgary Bowling & Maltng Co's; the Bannerman-Critchley's (M. L. A's); the visitors; (donated by the C. C. club) and the grand points competition. Individual prizes will also be awarded the winners in each event.

SUDDEN DEATH.

Eree Press, Dec. 13: A figure that was familiar on the streets of Winnipeg for several years has been removed with shocking suddenness. About 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon Mr. Edward Lloyd was in his office at St. Boniface when he was stricken down with heart disease, with which he had been troubled, expiring almost instantly. The news of his death, coming so unexpectedly, was a severe blow to his family and his many friends. Deceased was a resident of St. Boniface for several years, and was until the death of Archbishop Tache, steward for that prelate. Subsequently Mr. Lloyd engaged in the lumber business in St. Boniface. Mr. Lloyd was a man of good education, and was well informed on political and social questions. He came to this country from England. He was 65 years of age, and his wife and seven children, five sons and two daughters, survive him. All the children are married, except Ernest, who resides in this city, and who was a member of the four-oared crew which visited Henley last summer. One of the daughters is married to N. D. Beck, a barrister of Edmonton. The funeral will take place from St. Mary's Roman Catholic church at 10 o'clock this morning to Fort Rouge cemetery.

ANTI-KLONDIKE.

EDITOR BULLETIN.

DEAR SIR: The following was written in a lady's handwriting on the back of a photograph of a very handsome girl found in the bed room of a lately arrived Klondiker.

To rush off to Klondike there's surely no need.

Where thousands may fall while a dozen succeed.

When nuggets, as precious as specimen shown.

At home may be found on a claim of your own.

Don't you think it is a case for the doctor?

T. C. B.

POLICE COURT.

On Saturday last at the police barack, J. Schlopp, of Sturgeon river, was summoned on the information of immigration agent Sutter, to answer to a charge of ill-treating a ten year old Galician boy, who had been employed by him. The case was settled out of court by Schlopp purchasing the boy a complete outfit of clothing and paying his expenses at the hospital where he is receiving treatment for his feet, which were badly frozen.

Other cases will come up shortly, at the instance of Mr. Sutter, against a number of farmers who employed Galician laborers and then refused to pay them.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an Act to incorporate a company with power to construct, equip, operate and maintain a railway in two sections or divisions, either standard or narrow gauge, for the purpose of conveying passengers, freight and ore (at division) from some point at or near the head of Lynn Canal, thence in a northerly direction and through the White Pass, thence by way of Lake Bennett to a point on the southerly end of Lake Bennett; thence following the said lake to a point on the northern boundary of British Columbia; (2nd division) and from some point near the northerly end of Lake Marsh, by way of the McClinton river and Trail to the Hootch Village and then to the company to build a railway connecting the two said divisions, also with power to the company to build, equip and operate steamers and other boats on the water stretches, between the two said divisions, and other waters connecting with or adjacent to such water stretches, or proposed railway sections, and to carry on a general transportation business; and with power to construct, equip, operate and maintain branch lines, and all necessary roads, bridges, ways, ferries, wharves, docks and coal bunkers; and with power to erect, operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines in connection with the said railway and branches, and also for transmission of messages for the public, and to acquire water rights and to generate electricity for the supply of light, heat and power, as well for their own use as to sell and supply to the public; and with power to expropriate lands for the purposes of the company, and to acquire lands, bonuses, privileges or other aids from any government or persons or bodies corporate, and to make traffic or other arrangements with railways, steamboats or other companies; or with power to build wagon roads to be used in the construction of such railways, or in advance of the same, and to levy and collect tolls from all parties using, and on all freight passing over, any of such roads built by the company, whether built before or after the passage of the Act hereby applied for, and with all other usual, necessary or incidental rights, powers or privileges as may be necessary or incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects or any of them.

BODWELL, IRVING & DUFF,
Solicitors for the Applicants.
Victoria, B. C., 23rd October, 1897. 6-25

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an Act to incorporate a company with power to construct, equip, operate and maintain either standard or narrow gauge railways for the purpose of conveying passengers and freight, or prolongations of that arm of the sea commonly called Portland Inlet on the west coast of British Columbia to a point at or near Telegraph Creek on the Stikine River, thence to a point at or near the head of Teslin Lake, thence in a southerly direction, following the course as near as may be of the Klondike, Lewis and Yukon rivers to Dawson City in the Northwest Territory or to some intermediate point. And with power to construct, equip, operate and maintain branch lines and all necessary bridges, roads, ways, ferries, wharves, docks, and coal bunkers in connection with such railways, and with power to erect, operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines in connection with the said railways and branches, and to generate electricity for the supply of light, heat and power; and with power to expropriate lands for the purposes of the company, and to acquire lands, bonuses, privileges or other aids from any government, municipality or other persons or bodies corporate; and to make traffic or other arrangements with railways, steamboats or other companies; and with power to build wagon roads to be used in construction of such railways and in advance of the same; and to levy and collect tolls from all parties using and on all freight passing over any such roads built by the company, whether built before or after the passage of the Act hereby applied for; and with all other usual necessary or incidental rights, powers or privileges as may be necessary or incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects or any of them.

Dated at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 6th day of November, A. D. 1897.

HUNTER & OLIVER,
Solicitors for the Applicants.
6-25

NOTICE

It is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof, by the Hudson's Bay and Pacific Railway Company for an Act of Amendment to their Charter (60 Victoria, Chap. 12) empowering them to abandon that portion of their projected line extending from Prince Albert to Calgary, and to establish in its stead the branch between Prince Albert and Edmonton and to lay out, construct and operate as a portion of their main line, a line from Edmonton westward to a point on the eastern boundary of the Province of British Columbia at or near the Yellow Head Pass. Also to amend the Fourth clause by inserting the words "to the Grand Rapids of the Saskatchewan" instead of "to a point at or near the northwest end of Lake Winnipeg." Also for power to increase the number of their directors from 9 to 11. Also for an extension of time for the commencement and completion of their railway.

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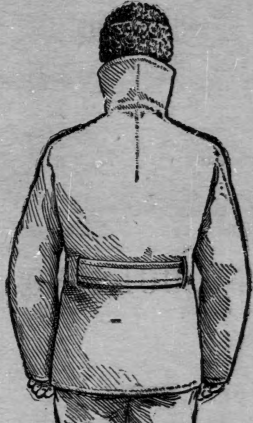
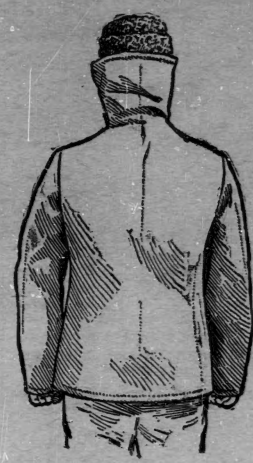
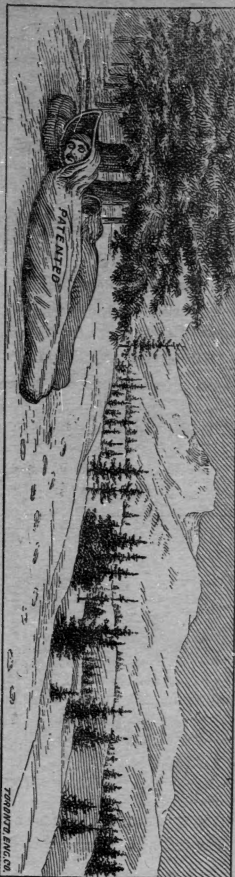
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A NEW HARDWARE STORE.

J. L. Johnson & Co., have opened their new hardware store in K. A. McLeod's new building. The ground floor of the building is used as a saleroom and the basement as a workshop. The firm are preparing to carry a large stock with which to meet the requirements of Edmonton's rapidly expanding trade. Mr. Johnson has had large experience in the hardware business in Prince Albert and in Calgary, and will no doubt command a fair share of business.

FARMERS' MARKETS.

Wheat, 55c. to 60c.; large deliveries. Wheat is worth 88c. to 89c. at Fort William and the freight is 20c. a bushel, making it worth 68c. to 69c. here for No. 1; from 2c. to 3c. less for No. 2.

Oats. Brisk demand and large deliveries 25c. for feed and 26c. for milling at the station and 24c. and 25c. on the north side are the prices quoted yesterday.

Live hogs have moved up to 4c. and a fair quantity are coming in.

Beef steers are being contracted for spring delivery at 3c. a pound live weight.

Dressed hogs are worth 5c. to 5 1/2c.

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Butter 25c. for fresh prints and 18c. to 22c. for tub. Butter is coming in more freely, but is still scarce.

Fresh eggs are 25c. and the supply is increasing though still short.

COACH DERAILED.

On Monday evening last about eight o'clock, as the Edmonton train was coming down the grade to the Big Stone creek about eight miles north of Wetsaskin, the first-class coach which was the last car of the train, left the rails and was dragged across the Pipeline bridge and for a considerable distance this side on the ties. The passengers were badly shaken up, and W. J. Bourke, of Toronto, who jumped from the car, was injured on the right leg and on the forehead. Fortunately the ties and trucks were the principal offenders. The coach was out of use and the train left the scene of the accident about 10:15 and reached Edmonton about midnight. A wrecking train was sent up from Medicine Hat to take up the damaged coach. The return train left Edmonton about one o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, and still was delayed several hours waiting for the track to be repaired. This accident is the natural result of the condition of the road bed, which having been allowed to run down as a measure of economy is now required to bear the strain of a heavy traffic.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory Edmonton, for the dates given:

	Max.	Min.
Monday, 20,	20	19
Tuesday, 21,	42	19
Wednesday, 22,	45	33
Thursday, 23,	42	29

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